

(d) whether is it a fact that Tahsildars are now empowered to assess Agricultural Income-tax below Rs. 5000;

(e) whether he is aware that this retransfer to Revenue Department of Income-tax work is contrary to the recommendations of the Expert who first recommended the separation of the Income-tax Department;

(f) who is the appellate authority to hear the appeals from the assessment orders of the Tahsildars;

(g) whether any representations has been received against the transfer of Income-tax work to Revenue authorities; and

(h) if so whether any action has been taken?

HON'BLE MR. C. KESAVAN: (a) The Income-tax Department was started in 1097.

(b) The answer is in the negative. Only a separate assessing agency was set up on his recommendation.

(c) Land Revenue Department.

(d) Yes.

(e) In view of the reply to item (b) this does not arise.

(f) Appellate Asst. Commissioner of Income-tax is to be the appellate authority.

(g) Yes.

(h) No action was called for on this representation.

MR. PAUL THALIATH; താലൂക്കിലെ ഏകദേശം 1000-ഓളം ഇൻകംടാക്സ് ജോലി തിരികെ ഇൻകംടാക്സ് ഡിപ്പാർട്ടുമെന്റിൽ കൈമാറുന്നതിനെ സംബന്ധിച്ച ഗവണ്മെന്റിന് ആലോചനയുണ്ടോ?

HON'BLE MR. C. KESAVAN: ആലോചിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്, പക്ഷെ തീരുമാനിച്ചിട്ടില്ല.

Primary Schools in Parur Taluk.

569. MR. PAUL THALIATH: Will the Honourable Minister for Education be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Government and Private Primary Schools respectively in Parur taluk;

(b) the total number of pupils who can be educated in those schools as per the Education Code; and

(c) the number of pupils in that taluk who are of primary school going age according to the census taken by the Education Department?

HON'BLE MR. T. M. VARGHESE:

(a) No. of Government primary schools 69

No. of Private primary schools 29

(b) 21239 (but according to shift system the accommodation will be doubled)

(c) 28255.